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To Whom It May Concern:

RE: DOCKET #97N-484S

I understand there is some consideration of regulating the use of allograft as a medical device. I do not think that this would be in the best of interests of the patients who I treat. This would certainly put limitation on the supply and the use of bone products.

Sincerely,

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